

The Priory School

Pupil Premium Strategy Statement 2016-17

Pupil Premium Performance

Validated 2016 RAISEonline results – published in March 2017

| | All Students | Pupil Premium |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Number of students in cohort | 162 | 18 |
| Average entries per student | 10.12 | 10.06 |
| % Students with 5+ A*-C + En & Ma | 62% | 36.9 |
| % students with EBacc | 32% | 2% |
| Value Added Score | P8 +0.26 | P8 + 0.09 |

2017 Unvalidated results (note that these are based on new performance measures)

| | All Students | Pupil Premium |
|--|--------------|---------------|
| Number of students in cohort | 118 | 18 |
| Progress 8 score | -0.03 | -0.42 |
| Average Attainment 8 score | 42.92 | 26.59 |
| % students entering EBacc | 34.7% | 22% |
| % students with EBacc who entered | 37% | 25% |
| % of students achieving a good pass in English and Maths | 56% | 55% |

Future Pupil Premium Plans

We constantly review our pupil premium provision and analyse the individual needs for ALL those who are deemed disadvantaged or vulnerable in any way. We believe that students are most successful in making progress when:

- They receive high quality feedback for all their work
- The work they receive is exceptionally well differentiated
- High expectations are made of them
- Personalised learning is sought and staff know how each individual learns best

As a school we know that no one Pupil Premium student or family is the same and we work closely with each individual to meet their specific needs.

Funding

In 2016 The Priory School received Pupil Premium funding of £126,579.21. This was used as follows:

- Lexia licenses for English intervention
- Maths one to one tuition
- One HLTA (Higher Level Teaching Assistant) post to support EAL (English as additional language) and support, literacy, numeracy, learning and thinking skills
- Four additional LSA's to support in class interventions
- Leading Learner evenings to support both students and parents in specific year groups with the transition between year groups and specific events throughout the academic year
- University visit for Pupil Premium students in Year 11
- Academic Mentoring provision
- Extra-curricular support activities
- Contributions have been made towards the cost of trips and visits for students in the Pupil Premium cohort
- Revision guides provided for students in the Pupil Premium cohort
- Calculators for students in the Pupil Premium cohort
- Materials for Design & Technology, Food Technology and Textiles lessons for students in the Pupil Premium cohort
- Maths intervention tutor
- English intervention sessions
- Nurture groups helping to raise self-esteem and social skills
- Small group intervention in maths
- Extra reading books for Pupil Premium cohort to support ERIC during curriculum time.
- Pastoral Support (Chaplain co-ordination)

In 2017/18 The Priory School received an initial Pupil Premium grant of £124,063.55. This is anticipated to rise during the year through the receipt of Children in Care grants.

Projected use of Pupil Premium Funding at The Priory School

- Purchase of yearly LEXIA license
- Five LSA staff
- Purchase of Tootoot license
- Small group interventions in core areas
- Introduction of a School Counsellor in school
- Contributions towards the cost of school trips and visits in the Pupil Premium cohort
- Contributions to the purchasing of materials necessary to take part in the curriculum for the Pupil Premium cohort
- Gifted and Talented students to be identified and supported within the monitoring programme
- Nurture groups
- Reader Pens and rulers
- Maths intervention tutor
- English intervention sessions

Year 7 Literacy and Numeracy Catch-Up Premium Funding 2016/2017

We received a sum of £12,168.00, which was specifically for Year 7 literacy and numeracy catch-up for the 2016/17 academic year. This funding was for those students who were a Level 3 or below in English and/or Maths on entry into the school.

Funding allocation;

- Academic Mentoring
- Nurture Group staffing
- Curriculum materials
- Small group intervention in Maths
- Small group sizes in Maths and Science
- Yr7 Catch-up materials
- Transition evenings
- Transition lessons and materials
- Yr7 Catch-up materials
- Training of Priory6 students to mentor and support students